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1923



# Warrant

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*To P. J. Hemmingway, a Constable in the Town of Farmington, County  
of Franklin,*

GREETING :

In the name of the State of Maine, you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said town of Farmington, qualified by law to vote in town affairs, to assemble in Music Hall, in said town, on the fifth day of March next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to act on the following articles, to wit:

## ARTICLE 1

To choose a moderator to preside at said meeting.

## ARTICLE 2

To choose all necessary Town Officers for the ensuing year.

## ARTICLE 3

To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for the support of common schools for the ensuing year.

## ARTICLE 4

To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for Free High School for the ensuing year.

## ARTICLE 5

To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for industrial education for the ensuing year.

## ARTICLE 6

To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for purchase of text books for the ensuing year.

#### ARTICLE 7

To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for repairs, insurance and supplies for school buildings for the ensuing year.

#### ARTICLE 8

To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise to be expended for Medical Inspection and Physical Training of school children.

#### ARTICLE 9

To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for the support of poor for the ensuing year.

#### ARTICLE 10

To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise to defray town charges for the ensuing year.

#### ARTICLE 11

To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for repairs of roads and small bridges and how the same shall be expended.

#### ARTICLE 12

To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for repairs of large bridges and how the same shall be expended.

#### ARTICLE 13

To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise to meet the expenses of Memorial Day.

#### ARTICLE 14

To see if the town will vote "yes" or "no" on the question of appropriating and raising money necessary to entitle the town to State Aid, as provided in Section 19 of Chapter 25 of the Revised Statutes of Maine.

#### ARTICLE 15

To see if the town will appropriate and raise the sum of \$1,062 for the improvement of the section of State Aid road as outlined in the report of the State Highway Commission. in addition to the amounts regularly raised for the care of ways, highways and bridges; the above amount being the maximum which the town is allowed to raise under the provisions of Section 18 of Chapter 25 of the Revised Statutes of Maine.

ARTICLE 16

To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for the collection of taxes for the ensuing year.

ARTICLE 17

To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for the abatement of taxes for the ensuing year.

ARTICLE 18

To see how the taxes shall be collected, and when made payable.

ARTICLE 19

To see if the town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to hire money in anticipation of taxes.

ARTICLE 20

To see if the town will vote to raise the sum of \$100.00 for care of Common, and how the same shall be expended.

ARTICLE 21

To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for sidewalks for the ensuing year.

ARTICLE 22

To see if the town will vote to pay for lighting certain streets and ways outside the Corporation; how much money shall be raised, and how the same shall be expended.

ARTICLE 23

To see if the town will vote to raise the sum of \$300.00 for "Mothers' Aid," as provided in Chapter 222 of the Revised Statutes of Maine, 1917.

ARTICLE 24

To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for the purpose of enabling the Farmington Library association to continue the maintenance of a Free Public Library, granting the use of its books to all inhabitants of the town, as provided for in Chapter 57, Section 15, of the Revised Statutes.



ARTICLE 25

To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise to pay outstanding indebtedness.

ARTICLE 26

To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise to pay interest on outstanding indebtedness and temporary loans.

ARTICLE 27

To see if the town will vote to raise the sum of \$600.00 toward the support of a Public Health Nurse, who may cooperate with, or take the place of a school physician and do general health work in town. The nurse to be under the general employ and direction of the Franklin County Public Health Association.

ARTICLE 28

To see if the town will vote to lay a sewer from the present sewer, near Tannery brook, to the corner near H. B. Coolidge's, and to see what sum of money it will appropriate for the same.

ARTICLE 29

To see if the town will vote to accept the road as recommended by the Highway Commission.

ARTICLE 30

To see if the town will vote to establish the price of labor performed for the town, by men and teams.

ARTICLE 31

To transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

ARTICLE 32

To see if the town will vote to appropriate the sum of \$700.00, the same being for new seats and desks for the Falls School.

## ARTICLE 33

To see how much money the town will vote to raise for the conveyance of scholars to elementary schools for the ensuing year.

## ARTICLE 34

To see if the town will vote to establish a school house for the benefit of the Mosher Hill and Titcomb Hill districts, so called, at a central location near Levi Mosher's Corner, either by moving the present Mosher Hill school house or by erecting a new building. To see how much money the town will raise for the purpose of establishing a school house near Levi Mosher's Corner and how the same shall be expended.

The Selectmen give notice that they will be in session for the purpose of correcting the list of voters in said town, and hearing and deciding upon application of persons claiming to have their names entered upon said list, at the office of the Selectmen on Saturday, Mar. 3, 1923 at 2 P. M., and at 9 o'clock A. M., on the day of said meeting.

*Given under our hands this 13th day of Feb. A. D., 1923.*

JAMES E. KENNEY,

A. L. HARDY,

P. W. GOULD,

*Selectmen of Farmington.*

## Selectmen's Report

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*To the Citizens of the Town of Farmington:*

The following report of receipts and expenditures for the fiscal year ending February 6, 1923, is submitted to the taxpayers of Farmington.

### VALUATION AND ASSESSMENTS

The valuation taken in April is as follows:

#### DETAILED LIST OF PROPERTY AND POLLS

Number of polls taxed, 1008.

Number of polls not taxed, 40.

Rate of taxation, 31 mills on dollar.

Amount assessed on each poll, \$3.00.

#### DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY

Real estate, resident	\$1,762,140 00	
Real estate, non-resident	106,595 00	
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Total real estate		\$1,868,735 00
Personal estate, resident	\$565,616 00	
Personal estate, non-resident	51,155 00	
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Total personal estate		\$616,771 00
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Grand total amount		\$2,485,506 00

Value of land, \$655,360 00.

Value of buildings, \$1,213,345 00.

## PERSONAL PROPERTY

	No.	Value
Horses and mules	748	\$71,470 00
Colts, 3 to 4 years	8	465 00
Colts, 2 to 3 years	9	650 00
	No.	Value
Colts, under 2 years	1	50 00
Cows	1436	51,196 00
Oxen	36	2,595 00
Three years old	267	8,415 00
Two years old	242	5,980 00
Sheep (over 35 in number)	5	25 00
Swine	21	315 00
Total amount		<hr/> \$141,161 00

## EXEMPT LIVESTOCK

	No.	Value
One year old	365	6,365 00
Sheep (to 35 in number)	548	2,829 00
Swine (to 10 in number)	217	3,161 00
Total amount		<hr/> \$12,355 00

## ALL OTHER KINDS OF PERSONAL PROPERTY

	No.	Value
Money at interest		\$1,850 00
Stock in trade		202,830 00
Gas engines		1,625 00
Logs and lumber		12,450 00
Wood and bark		2,575 00
Carriages		670 00
Automobiles	382	150,175 00
Musical instruments	289	29,465 00
Furniture		25,950 00
Machinery not taxed as real estate		48,020 00
Total amount		<hr/> \$475,611 00

Upon the polls and estates we have assessed the following sums, to wit:

For State tax	\$14,488 48
County tax	3,740 07
Common schools	12,000 00
Free High school	9,500 00
Industrial education	200 00
Purchase of text-books	1,200 00
Repairs, insurance and supplies for schools	3,000 00
Support of the poor	2,500 00
Medical inspection in schools	300 00
Town charges	3,000 00
Repair of roads and small bridges	12,000 00
Repair of large bridges	2,000 00
State Aid road	1,062 00
Expenses Memorial Day	100 00
Collection of taxes	600 00
Abatement of taxes	200 00
Payment on outstanding indebtedness	2,000 00
Street lighting	1,900 00
Public library	1,500 00
Care of Common	150 00
Interest on outstanding indebtedness	2,000 00
Sidewalks	500 00
Sewer West Farmington	300 00
Heating plant at High School building	2,000 00
Sewer upper Main Street	100 00
Sewer Middle Street	800 00
Enforcing vehicle ordinance	200 00
Sidewalk at West Farmington	300 00
Mothers Aid	300 00
Overlay	2,134 13
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Total amount	\$80,074 68

On the 13th day of May, 1922, the lists of the above assessments were committed to Charles H. Pierce, collector for the town.

Subsequently a supplementary tax was assessed and committed to the collector of \$905.18, making a total commitment of \$80,979.86.

## TOWN CHARGES

Paid	Wm. C. Webster, Supt. of Schools	\$1,030 85
	The Barton Press, town reports and letter heads etc.	127 00
	Masonic Bldg. Asso., use of vault	15 00
	Mrs. Elmira Weymouth, cleaning office	50
	H. S. Campbell, order board of health	6 20
	H. P. White & Co., office supplies	34 40
	C. H. Pierce, error in assessment	10 85
	Geo. Pooler, labor on fountain	28 75
	Everett Brown, painting signs	3 00
	James E. Kenney, housing truck	6 00
	Wm. B. Pratt, board of health	49 13
	Mrs. B. C. Rounds, clerk	45 00
	Dr. Geo. L. Pratt, board of health	50 00
	Franklin Journal Co., printing	15 50
	C. E. Lake, painting signs	31 50
	Agnes Hemingway, check lists and town line reports	15 00
	A. G. Judkins, truant officer	7 50
	W. N. Van Cor, ballot clerk	9 00
	Franklin Power Co., wiring booths	2 75
	L. H. Marr, board of health	21 40
	F. P. Nickerson, teams to fires	11 00
	Mrs. Flora Mills, ballot clerk	6 00
	Fred L. Russell, police	12 00
	Freelon Starbird, police	12 00
	C. G. Barrows, police	12 00
	Knowlton McLeary Co., printing	26 90
	Loring, Short & Harmon, bills for town clerk	1 50
	James E. Kenney, police	12 00
	Geo. Pooler, police	12 00
	Chas. F. Davis, ballot clerk	9 00
	Alice Whitcomb, ballot clerk	9 00
	Mae Gordon, lunches ballot clerks	5 85
	M. E. Titcomb, ballot clerk	6 00
	R. W. Barrett, use of Drummond Hall	12 00
	Walter E. Mosher, ballot clerk	6 00
	Dr. T. E. Makepeace, examining blind	2 00
	James E. Kenney, expense to assessors' con.	11 16
	L. A. Nickerson, watering tub	5 00
	A L. Hardy, use of auto, police	16 60
	Fred B. Hall, watering tub	5 00
	Frank K. Ames, sealer of weights and measures	25 00

Paid	E. E. Richards, Est., legal services	35 70	
	First Nat. Bank, rent of office	40 00	
	W. W. Small Co., armory and fountain	56 13	
	C. B. Moody, labor on fountain	5 51	
	Chester Greenwood, labor on fountain	3 00	
	James E. Kenney, stamps, telephone	10 16	
	James E. Kenney, use of auto 1921-1922	18 50	
	F. N. Blanchard & Sons, order board of health	10 00	
	N. R. Knowlton, town clerk and disbursements	151 83	
	A. L. Walcott, town treasurer	250 00	
	James E. Kenney, services selectman	300 00	
	A. L. Hardy, services selectman	300 00	
	S. R. Knowlton, services selectman	300 00	
	Gideon Frank, forest fire	1 00	
	S. R. Knowlton, postage etc.	7 48	
	James E. Kenney, expense to hearing	8 73	
	A. L. Hardy, expense to road hearing	8 73	
	O. B. Littlefield, iron work	1 60	
	C. W. Berry, order board of health	15 00	
	Chas. H. Pierce, enforcing dog law	25 00	
	Chas. H. Pierce, postage	10 00	
	Chas. H. Pierce, posting warrants	12 00	
	Chas. H. Pierce, truant 1921-1922	3 00	
	Chas. H. Pierce, collecting sidewalk bills	13 58	
			\$3,312 83
Appropriation		\$3,000 00	
Overdrawn		312 83	
			\$3,312 83

## LARGE BRIDGE ACCOUNT

Appropriation		\$2,000 00
Paid	T. C. Dustin, painting Centre bridge	\$245 70
	W. W. Small Co., paint	113 60
	C. B. Moody, railing	72 70
	M. F. Storer, trucking	3 00
	C. G. Barrows, labor	10 50
	A. A. Gordon, lumber	50 95
	James E. Kenney, labor	10 33
	Croswell Bros., lumber	14 80
	E. H. Lowell, spikes	5 16

Paid	Chester Greenwood, lumber	15 18	
	F. C. Metcalf, lumber	43 73	
	A. L. Hardy	2 50	
	Total		\$588 15
Unexpended			1,411 95
			<hr/> \$2,000 00

## HIGHWAYS AND SMALL BRIDGES

## SUMMER WORK

Paid	Wm. H. Lockhart	\$8 33
	A. P. Richards	13 00
	Leon A. Wright	19 00
	G. M. Hatch	2 80
	W. A. Haley	71 99
	S. J. Luce	36 00
	J. A. Tilton	2 50
	F. L. Knowlton	320 33
	P. C. Taylor	422 55
	Good Roads Machinery Co. Repairs	23 48
	E. A. Hamilton	72 37
	Lutie F. Holley	23 00
	A. T. Starbird	466 25
	E. C. Whitney	5 00
	Geo. Pooler	376 50
	L. J. Smith	16 75
	Geo. Ellis	7 50
	Wm. Sabine	11 25
	T. J. Lunney	36 00
	A. T. Voter	82 77
	Warren Viles	2 50
	Freelon Starbird	6 00
	Chas. F. Clark	7 35
	H. E. Whittemore	31 65
	Fred Borden	5 00
	Otto Nile	313 50
	H. M. Bishop	168 80
	Orrin Nile	21 25
	Edgar Savage	31 25
	Frank Hardy	238 60
	Manley Fredric	106 25



Paid	Horace Schang	83 09
	Arthur Thompson	45 00
	Edwin Nile	65 50
	Otto Nile	28 50
	Orrin Nile	2 50
	Frank Hardy	11 00
	H. A. Titcomb	25 00
	Evans L. Merchant	5 50
	H. E. Seaman	80 13
	F. L. Butler	8 73
	James Presson	141 51
	C. J. Macomber	31 96
	A. B. Blanchard	10 75
	J. W. Hardy	15 15
	Deane B. Hiscock	44 00
	Chas. Robash	51 33
	Olney Taylor	8 75
	A. L. Hardy	648 77
	James Locke	122 83
	Chas. Ellsworth	1 68
	B. C. Hardy	55 68
	Russell Hillman	2 24
	A. L. Dow	4 50
	J. C. Wing	9 92
	Geo. Pooler	73 25
	Manley Frederic	20 00
	S. M. Newton	2 50
	Easter Robbins	2 50
	Gus Crocker	4 00
	Perley Kenney	49 50
	Chas. Plaisted	66 50
	L. H. Hutchinson	4 62
	Jordan Garage Co.	50 62
	Percy W. Taylor	10 00
	L. B. Hovey	3 22
	R. W. Barrett	47 50
	Fred Russell	57 50
	Harold Barker	5 00
	Sumner P. Mills	85 17
	H. B. Parkhurst	7 97
	G. R. Kershner	53 16
	D. T. Williams	9 15
	Harold Brown	2 52
	A. A. Gordon	22 80
	Frank J. Cutler	7 00

Paid	H. Bernard Jennings	12 60
	Lynn Savage	31 50
	F. Marquis	10 00
	W. W. Small Co.	40 35
	H. B. Nichols	5 50
	Walter Lane	2 50
	A. B. Ramsdell	29 89
	D. W. Buchanan	2 00
	Bert Knowles	41 25
	J. L. Stowe	10 13
	Wallace Stockwell	15 00
	Henry Staples	17 50
	Chas. Stolt	4 95
	Patrol Maintenance	892 10
	Will Marden	1 40
	James E. Kenney	18 33
	M. E. Titcomb	7 42
	Ellsworth Barry	9 94
	John L. Tufts	2 00
	C. E. & A. J. Luce	10 66
	Frank Thompson	35 00
	D. D. Marwick	6 77
	L. M. Mosher & Son	21 14
	John A. Craig	198 00
	Berger Mfg. Co.	141 60
	Leonard Band	2 52
	A. R. Lemieux	2 52
	Llewellyn Norton	3 00
	N. H. Morton	34 00
	Wilfred McLeary	24 56
	Thomas Nutting	85 25
	O. T. Moody	47 75
	Hugh W. Murry	7 00
	John Durrall	7 33
	L. J. York	15 25
	Will H. Hobbs	19 84
	J. J. Holley	2 50
	Geo. Pooler	7 50
	Fred V. Gilman	93 80
	H. A. Crowell	3 22
	Frank W. Osborne	8 40
	H. L. Knapp & Son	22 00
	Geo. S. Lowell	526 50
	F. C. Metcalf	164 27
	J. S. Hutchinson	4 96

Paid	Ernest L. Holt	9 80
	C. B. Moody	2 33
	A. W. Porter	26 66
	G. R. Hillman	1 30
	E. A. Wright	4 93
	Chester Greenwood	3 93
	Marcus Mitchell	12 80
	H. C. Pearson	4 80
	C. W. Berry	1 00
	Frank Hardy	31 50
	R. W. Parsons	8 25
	Fred F. Lunt	11 00

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## WINTER ROADS

Paid	J. W. Hardy	\$77 11
	Gideon Frank	6 16
	G. R. Conrad	17 82
	L. A. Nickerson	46 33
	David Bradley	49 63
	J. C. Pratt	6 66
	Frank Hardy	48 51
	Wm. Woods	7 00
	A. P. Richards	13 66
	F. L. Knowlton	180 78
	H. G. Jennings	12 60
	C. S. Wright	66 99
	R. A. Leavitt	43 24
	D. T. Williams	22 00
	H. E. Seaman	51 66
	Frank Whitney	133 63
	H. B. Nichols	72 35
	Geo. Hoar	22 50
	O. J. Sawyer	160 50
	Dana Knowlton	2 33
	Earl Knockwood	4 66
	Percy C. Taylor	132 95
	O. E. Brown	5 00
	E. C. Whitney	7 00
	H. W. Gilbert	23 66
	C. W. Berry	86 70
	Chas. Lowell	1 33
	A. L. Hardy	121 68

Paid	G. M. Hatch	3 63
	Carroll E. Whitney	62 94
	Thomas Comerford	15 28
	Geo. Sawyer	19 32
	H. C. Durrell	24 86
	L. O. Durrell	29 75
	W. A. Haley	74 93
	Leon K. Lovejoy	34 00
	Ellsworth Barry	25 43
	Thomas Nutting	19 00
	H. H. Hodgdon	23 92
	W. D. Murray	76 00
	Clyde McCulley	74 00
	Geo. H. Backus	8 00
	Deane B. Hiscock	59 50
	A. W. Porter	20 99
	A. H. Shultz	20 99
	H. W. Waugh	32 66
	J. J. Holley	3 00
	Frank A. Thompson	39 00
	Lynn Savage	49 76
	V. E. Brown	15 66
	Manley Frederic	17 44
	W. H. Hobbs	79 10
	B. C. Hardy	53 48
	Geo. S. Hiscock	6 00
	H. W. Whittemore	31 84
	Frank J. Cutler	3 00
	Geo. Cook	24 00
	L. H. Hutchinson	1 33
	Chas. H. D. Durrell	5 72
	J. S. Hutchinson	26 55
	Chas. F. Clark	8 33
	F. S. Newell	57 00
	R. E. McCleery	62 80
	T. J. Lunney	19 50
	O. T. Moody	33 85
	Holmes H. Bailey	24 00
	Alonzo Wallace	3 48
	E. W. Savage	26 62
	Clarence Chittick	25 07
	Frank Chittick	23 10
	H. J. Mosher	27 33
	E. A. Hamilton	20 99
	H. B. Parkhurst	5 50

Paid	Arthur T. Voter	63 36
	Mark Voter	8 58
	Leon Clements	9 00
	Owen Mann	46 77
	L. D. Foss	10 41
	M. E. Titcomb	17 16
	W. B. Duley	47 50
	S. R. Thurston	31 00
	L. R. Bump	20 66
	Frank Norton	11 00
	Howard Pease	19 33
	T. E. Cook	27 00
	A. D. Ellsworth	26 66
	M. F. Storer	15 00
	Chas. H. Ellsworth	2 33
	Russell Hillman	4 95
	L. B. Hovey	23 33
	W. A. Titcomb	7 00
	Ed. Frank	5 00
	H. A. Sawyer	6 00
	J. L. Stowe	5 47
	Chas. Stott	1 65
	C. E. & A. J. Luce	37 34
	S. W. Spencer	7 00
	D. D. Marwick	29 70
	L. M. Mosher & Son	21 67
	Leo S. Hunt	26 60
	Anthony Pechkis	16 17
	Linwood J. York	21 12
	E. R. Weather & Sons	74 33
	C. B. Savage	54 03
	H. A. Crowell	23 33
	Frank W. Osborne	29 37
	H. L. Knapp & Son	9 60
	Geo. S. Lowell	98 20
	F. N. Blanchard & Sons	78 33
	G. H. Hinckley	3 00
	N. H. Morton	14 74
	Geo. Pooler	137 75
	M. O. Bean	7 50
	Alton Ladd	11 00
	Chas. T. Gay	46 33
	H. E. Thurston	58 42
	Fred LaBree	23 66
	Horace LaBree	4 76
	A. T. Starbird	42 00

Paid	John H. Jones	31 23	
	E. A. Wright	9 50	
	C. H. Austin	56 00	
	Olean Brown	13 44	
	Clarence Lane	5 00	
	Evans L. Merchant	32 25	
	Fred F. Lunt	33 00	
	N. J. McCollar	6 72	
	R. D. Weeks	61 77	
	W. J. Gould	20 00	
	Raymond Larcom	4 72	
	E. L. Holt	18 15	
	A. L. Dow	20 00	
	Fred Paul	14 04	
	Nial Moody	4 62	
	P. W. Gould	6 25	
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			\$4,364 89
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	Total Highway Acct.		
Appropriation		\$12,000 00	
Overdrawn		159 91	
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			\$12,159 91
Orders drawn			\$12,159 91

## SPECIAL RESOLVE, ALLEN'S MILK ROAD

State appropriation	\$2,000 00	
Orders drawn	2,490 09	
Due from M. E. Titcomb, for cattle pass	100 00	
Net cost to town		\$390 09

## EXPENSE OF POOR

Etta Welch	\$446 98
Mina Gardner	156 34
Etta Pratt	22 00
Gus Ellis	251 80
Earl Fuller	4 00
Mrs. Joseph Pooler	727 54
W. B. Small, lodging tramps	27 00
Willie Allen	25 00

Frank Marden family	494 87	
Mrs. Daniel Moores	75 00	
Harry Allen	349 97	
Caroline Locklin	192 00	
Geo. Dustin	406 50	
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		\$3,179 00
Appropriation	\$2,500 00	
Overdrawn	679 00	
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		\$3,179 00

## STATE AID ROAD BUILT IN 1922

Appropriations :		
Town	\$1,062 00	
State	666 94	
State, 3d class	1,023 12	
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		\$2,752 06
Orders drawn	\$2,460 53	
Unexpended	291 53	
		\$2,752 06

## WEST FARMINGTON SEWER

Appropriation	\$300 00	
Received for connection	25 00	
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		\$325 00
Paid for labor	61 70	
Paid for material	74 70	
Unexpended	188 60	
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		\$325 00

## MIDDLE STREET SEWER

Appropriations	\$800 00	
Received for connections	75 00	
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		\$875 00
Paid for labor	194 00	
Paid for material	160 60	
Unexpended	520 40	
	<hr/>	
		\$875 00

## UPPER MAIN STREET SEWER

Appropriations		\$100 00
Paid for labor	16 00	
Paid for material	43 25	
Unexpended	40 75	
	<hr/>	\$100 00

## WEST FARMINGTON SIDEWALK

Appropriation		\$300 00
Paid for material	\$89 20	
Paid for labor	196 74	
Unexpended	14 06	
	<hr/>	\$300 00

## TOWN SIDEWALK ACCOUNT

Appropriation	\$500 00	
Received from individuals	679 12	
Overdrawn	49 75	
	<hr/>	\$1,228 87
Paid for labor	\$565 13	
Paid for material	563 74	
Paid F. G. Colburn	100 00	
	<hr/>	\$1,228 87

## PUBLIC LIBRARY

Appropriation	\$1,500 00	
Received from State	150 00	
	<hr/>	\$1,650 00
Orders drawn	\$1,350 00	
Unexpended	300 00	
	<hr/>	\$1,650 00



## STREET LIGHTS OUTSIDE CORPORATION

Appropriation	\$1,900 00	
Overdrawn	97 41	
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		\$1,997 41
Orders drawn	\$1,997 41	
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		\$1,997 41

## MEMORIAL DAY

Appropriation	\$100 00
Order drawn	\$100 00

## COLLECTION OF TAXES

Appropriation	\$600 00
Order drawn	\$600 00

## ABATEMENT OF TAXES

Appropriation	\$200 00	
Overdrawn	57 93	
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		\$257 93
Order drawn		\$257 93

## CARE OF COMMON AND LIGHTING

Appropriation		\$150 00
Orders drawn	\$138 05	
Unexpended	11 95	
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		\$150 00

## SEWER REPAIRS

No appropriation	\$15 00	
Burial of soldier		\$60 00
Received from State		\$60 00

## CARE OF FRANK CLARK

State pauper		\$30 00
Due from State		\$30 00

## SHEEP KILLED BY DOGS

Paid Chester Hamlin	\$75 00	
Paid C. M. Williams	140 00	
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		\$215 00
Received from State		\$215 00

## ARMORY ACCOUNT

Order drawn for rent		\$375 00
Due from State	\$340 00	
Paid by town	35 00	
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		\$375 00

## POOR OF OTHER TOWNS

Orders drawn		\$434 50
Received from other towns	\$390 24	
Due from other towns	44 26	
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		\$434 50

## MOTHERS' AID

Appropriation	\$300 00	
Received from State	605 50	
Due from other towns	310 00	
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		\$1,215 50
Orders drawn	\$1,178 00	
Unexpended	37 50	
		\$1,215 50

## OUTSTANDING INDEBTEDNESS

Due on schoolhouse bonds Feb. 6, 1922	\$11,000 00	
Paid bonds	1,000 00	
Due on schoolhouse bonds Feb. 6, 1923		\$10,000 00
Municipal bonds Feb. 6, 1923		26,000 00
		\$36,000 00

## INTEREST ON OUTSTANDING INDEBTEDNESS

Appropriation	\$2,000 00	
Overdrawn	265 53	
		\$2,265 53
Paid coupons	\$1,625 00	
Paid interest on temporary loans	640 53	
		\$2,265 53

During the past year we have hired \$19,000.00 in anticipation of taxes, which, with interest, has been paid

## RESOURCES

Amount in hands of Treasurer	\$11,678 13	
Real estate, land on Quebec street	900 00	
Real estate, land near Centre bridge	100 00	
Four safes	200 00	
Motor truck	200 00	
Due from other towns for pauper support	44 26	
Due from State, State pensions	417 00	
Due from other towns, mothers' aid		
Due for 1921	255 00	
Due for 1922	310 00	
Road machinery	400 00	
		\$14,504 39

## LIABILITIES

Amount due town officers	\$1,300 00
Outstanding orders	591 18
Bills outstanding, estimated	2,000 00

Schoolhouse, bond due	1,000 00	
Unpaid coupon	145 00	
	<hr/>	\$5,036 18
Resources above Liabilities		<hr/> \$9,468 21

Estimates for the ensuing year, as recommended by the Selectmen :

Town charges	\$3,000 00	
Support of poor	2,500 00	
Roads and small bridges	12,000 00	
Large bridges	2,000 00	
State Aid road	1,062 00	
Memorial Day	100 00	
Collection of taxes	600 00	
Abatement of taxes	250 00	
Street lighting	1,900 00	
Free Public Library	1,200 00	
Care of Common	150 00	
Interest on bonds and temporary loans	2,000 00	
Sidewalks	500 00	
Payment town debt	2,000 00	
Mothers' aid	300 00	
	<hr/>	\$29,562 00

JAMES E. KENNEY,  
A. L. HARDY,  
P. W. GOULD,

*Selectmen of Farmington.*

## Treasurer's Report

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*Town of Farmington in account with A. L. Wolcott, Treasurer.*

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To paid town orders	\$33,756 90
School orders	40,262 40
State tax	14,488 48
County tax	3,740 07
State pensions	837 00
Bonds	1,000 00
Coupons	1,625 00
State Treasurer, Dog Licenses	259 00
Loans	19,000 00
Cash on hand February 7th, 1923	11,678 13
	\$126,646 98

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By cash on hand Feb. 6th, 1922	\$7,674 89
Rec'd from C. H. Pierce, Coll. of taxes	80,883 86
other towns for support of poor	390 24
town clerk, dog licenses	259 00
Licenses	77 00
Franklin Agricultural Society	23 84
Sewer connections	250 00
Harold Titcomb, account of roads	5 00
Interest on school fund	60 42
W. C. Webster, Supt. of Schools	3,365 87
Pratt Field fund	10 00
State Treasurer, for Physical Education	100 00
Vocational education	900 00
State School fund	6,243 34
Account of schools	2 70

Support of paupers	368 40
Sheep killed by dogs	282 00
Schooling of children	76 90
Dependent Mothers' aid	605 50
Side walks	175 67
Highway Department	3,038 47
Burial of soldier	60 00
Tax on bank stock	1,214 56
State pensions	420 00
Free Public Library	150 00
Improvement of State road	646 94
R. R. and Tel. Tax	363 28
Received from Loans	19,000 00
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	\$126,646 98

A. L. WOLCOTT, *Town Treasurer.*

## Trust Funds

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The Town of Farmington holds in trust the following funds:

	Cemetery Trust Fund
Elbridge T. Smith	" "
Benjamin Huse	" "
Eliza Perham	" "
Alanson Vaughan	" "
Butterfield	" "
Chas. C. Folsom	" "
Solomon A. Wood	" "
Cutler	" "
Hinkley and Rogers	" "
William T. Brackley	" "
Matthew P. Brooks	" "
Nellie I. Lincoln	" "
F. E. Ham	" "
Hutchins and Kempton	" "
Alice A. Page	" "
Hunter	" "
A. K. Bolan	" "
F. H. Bowles	" "
Daniel Beals	" "
Geo. F. Blake	" "
John Backus	" "
Geo. A. Adams	" "
H. A. B. Keyes	" "
J. H. Goodwin	" "
C. A. and N. W. Johnson	" "
Anna B. and Chas. F. Coburn	" "
Chas. H. Cole	" "
Ellen S. B. Allen	" "
Lucy S. Hunt	" "
Brown and Parsons	" "
Cyrus Case	" "
Rebecca L. Tufts	" "
Betsey Jennings	" "
Sarah M. Thurston	" "

Maria E. Wills	"	"
Edward P. Davis	"	"
C. A. Thomas	"	"
Annie M. Greateon	"	"
Zadoc Davis	"	"
John F. and Abbie E. Herrick	"	"
L. A. Smith	"	"
Frank N. Harris	"	"
Jonathan S. Ellis	"	"
Isaac Hibbard and Lewis B. Goodrich	"	"
Elmon J. Dyer	"	"
Abbie A. Macomber	"	"
Margaret J. Belcher	"	"
Geo. F. Blake	Book Fund	
L. A. Smith	School Fund	

A L. WOLCOTT, *Treasurer*



## School Department—Financial Statement

### COMMON SCHOOL ACCOUNT

#### *Resources*

Unexpended balance	\$1,180 60	
Appropriation, town	12,000 00	
State Aid	6,246 04	
Tuition	47 45	
Total		\$19,474 09

#### *Expenditures*

Teachers	\$13,344 39	
Tuition	333 48	
Transportation	3,609 50	
Fuel	1,245 35	
Janitors	934 12	
Total		\$19,466 84
Unexpended balance		\$8 25

### HIGH SCHOOL ACCOUNT

#### *Resources*

Unexpended balance	1,469 93	
Town appropriation	9,500 00	
State and Federal Aid	900 00	
Tuition	3,147 62	
Total		\$15,017 55

*Expenditures*

Teachers	\$10,723 80	
Janitors	682 64	
Fuel	2,305 38	
Miscellaneous	110 00	
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Total		\$13,821 82
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Unexpended balance		\$1,185 73

## REPAIRS, INSURANCE AND SUPPLIES ACCOUNT

*Resources*

Town appropriation	\$3,000 00	
Supplies sold	170 80	
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Total		\$3,170 80

*Expenditures*

Repairs	\$442 25	
Supplies	2,552 19	
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Total		\$2,994 74
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Unexpended balance		\$176 06

## TEXT BOOK ACCOUNT

*Resources*

Unexpended balance	\$186 62	
Appropriation	1,200 00	
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Total		\$1,386 52

*Expenditures*

Expended	\$1,103 24	
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Unexpended balance		\$283 38

## PHYSICAL TRAINING ACCOUNT

*Resources*

Town appropriation	\$300 00	
Unexpended balance	125 65	
State of Maine	100 00	
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Total		\$525 65

*Expenditures*

Expended		\$436 46
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Unexpended balance		\$99 19

## INDUSTRIAL EDUCATION ACCOUNT

*Resources*

Appropriation	\$200 00	
Unexpended balance	205 73	
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Total		\$405 73

*Expenditures*

Expended		\$288 62
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Unexpended balance		\$117 11

## HIGH SCHOOL HEATING APPROPRIATION

*Resources*

Town appropriation	\$2,000 00
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*Expenditures*

Expended	\$2,000 00
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## STATISTICS

## SCHOOL CENSUS

Number between ages of 5 and 21, April, 1919—Boys, 325, Girls, 409; Total 734.

Number between ages of 5 and 21, April, 1920—Boys, 373, Girls, 377; Total 1750.

Number between ages of 5 and 21, April, 1921—Boys, 401, Girls, 381; Total 782.

Number between ages of 5 and 21, April, 1922—Boys, 422, Girls, 384; Total 806.

## ATTENDANCE AND REGISTRATION

For Year Ending July 1, 1922.	Elementary	Secondary	Total
1. Number of different pupils registered during the year.			
(a), Boys	289	90	379
(b), Girls	256	123	379
Total	545	213	758
2. Number of above not resident of Farmington	11	50	61
3. Number of above conveyed at expense of town	84		84
4. Average daily attendance of all pupils for the year	505	188	693
5. Average length in days of school year	178	188	
6. Number of weeks school was maintained	36	38	

Enrollment of pupils by grades and years for the year ending July 1, 1922.

Grade	Boys	Girls	Total	No. Repeat.	Grade
ELEMENTARY					
Sub-Primary	55	62	117	8	
Grade 1	34	25	59		
Grade 2	27	16	43		
Grade 3	24	21	45	1	
Grade 4	13	26	39		
Grade 5	29	20	49		
Grade 6	30	39	59	2	
Grade 7	47	32	79		
Grade 8	24	15	39	4	

#### SECONDARY

Year 1	22	30	52	1
Year 2	27	40	67	2
Year 3	27	29	56	1
Year 4	14	24	38	3

#### TEACHERS

##### HIGH SCHOOLS

NAME	POSITION	SALARY
R. Y. Storer	Principal	\$2,200 00
C. L. Stephenson	Agriculture	2,000 00
	Physical training, for travel	150 00
Ethel Howard	History	1200 00
Helen Raymond	English—French	1,100 00
Leona DeBeck	Latin—Math.	1,100 00
Ruth Higgins	Com'l.	1,200 00
Lulu Harvey	English	1,100 00
Franca Ingalls	Music	175 00
Mabel LaPointe	Commercial Asst.	1,000 00

## COMMON SCHOOLS

NAME	POSITION	SALARY
A. D. Ingalls	Principal, Town 8 grade	\$1,350 00
Edith Poore	VI—VII	900 00
Maude Howard	IV—V	900 00
Zilda Brown	I—II—III	900 00
Eva Nickerson	West Farmington Primary	900 00
Mildred Simmons	West Farmington Intermediate	900 00
Mildred Bailey	Norton Flat	612 00
Carrie Gilbert	Falls Grammar	900 00
Mariane Kinison	Falls Primary	800 00
Myrtie Greateon	Fair Banks Primary	900 00
Carroll Matthieu	Fair Banks Grammar	1,000 00
Edith Lamb	Russells Mills	720 00
Iva Norton	Mosher Hill	780 00
Vina Ellsworth	Briggs	900 00
Franca Ingalls	Town Music	175 00
Mittie Wade	Rural Music	504 00

## FARMINGTON, MAINE.

*To W. C. Webster, Supt. of Schools:*

I have the pleasure of making the following report for the department of Vocational Agriculture.

The department began the school year with an enrollment of seventeen which is an increase over last year.

Besides the regular school work the department has undertaken several outside activities, such as pruning and spray-orchards, testing milk and cream and testing soils. Exhibits were made at the County Fair in Poultry, cattle and fruit and prizes were won by everything entered.

Owing to adverse weather conditions the boys projects like all other farm enterprises were not a financial success. The interest in their work and the project records were good.

Following is a summary of the year's work:

Number of projects .....	11
Number of visits .....	176
Number of miles traveled .....	1629

Respectfully,

C. L. STEPHENSON.

# Report of the Superintendent of Schools

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FARMINGTON, MAINE, Feb. 6, 1923.

*To the S. S. Committee and Citizens:*

In accordance with law, I submit herewith a report of the condition, progress and needs of the School Department of the town of Farmington for the year ending February 6, 1923.

## HIGH SCHOOL

On the whole, the High School has made good progress during the past year. Beginning with the Fall term, the two session plan was put into effect. Out of the total enrollment we have 61 Tuition pupils, at the present tuition rate of \$60 per year, this brings in a revenue of about \$3,600. The actual cost per pupil of running the high school is around \$64 per year. From this it can be seen that the tuition charge does not cover the actual expense. We think that next year the tuition rate should be raised again.

## COMMON SCHOOL

The Common Schools have made excellent progress during the past year. The State Course of study is followed in all the schools, and the teachers and pupils have worked hard and done well.

## RECOMMENDATIONS

The State Department of Education has recommended that desks be placed in the assembly hall of the High School. This would then allow an assembly every day, and a place for all those who were having a study period to be together under the charge of one teacher. This

would do away with the confusion of having study pupils, and pupils having a recitation in the same room at the same time. It would assist the teachers materially and therefore increase their efficiency. Your School Board approves this plan and it is hoped the voters will allow the necessary money to the appropriations to put this plan into effect.

The Falls School needs some new desks. The present ones are old and nearly worn out. It is estimated that \$650 will put new and up-to-date desks in this School.

There has been, during the past year considerable controversy as to amounts paid for conveyance. Your School Board have tried to be fair with everyone and allow what they thought the town could afford from the amount of the town's appropriation.

At present there are 82 pupils being conveyed at the expense of the town at a cost of \$99 per week. This makes an annual expenditure of about \$3,600. The School Board believes it would be better to raise the conveyance money under a separate appropriation. Then whatever amount the town feels it is able to afford, can be divided as fairly as possible with reference to the number of pupils, which in the estimation of the board need conveyance at the expense of the town.

Minor repairs of school buildings will be necessary as usual.

## FINANCES

Our books at the close of the present fiscal year show an unexpended balance in every account. This has been possible only through the School Board's careful expenditure of the various appropriations.

In making up the budget for the coming year, the amounts we have asked for, represent the lowest figures on which we believe the schools can be run and still maintain a high standard. We believe that a poor school is a poor investment at any price.

In closing I wish to express my appreciation to the School Board for their council and advice, and to the citizens for their co-operation and support.

Respectfully submitted,

WM. C. WEBSTER.



## Report of Principal of High School

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*To the Superintending School Committee:*

I herewith submit my report of the high school.

School opened in September with an enrollment of 222. The large number made it necessary to put extra seats in the different class-rooms. Both the junior and freshman classes were so large that the pupils could not all be seated together it being necessary to put several juniors and freshmen in the senior room.

Fewer pupils have left school than usually do by this time, so at present we have 214 registered, there being 61 freshmen, 50 sophomores, 60 juniors, 42 seniors and one post-graduate student. We have fourteen more pupils than we had at the corresponding time last year.

The Latin and commercial courses still remain the most popular ones. These are probably the hardest courses in school. Frequently we hear it mentioned that pupils elect the commercial course on account of its being an easy one to "get by", but this is certainly not the case in our high school for the commercial subjects during the junior and senior years, as well as typewriting and book-keeping during the second year, require a great deal of time and painstaking.

In the whole school 38.14 per cent are taking the commercial course, 33.95 per cent the Latin, 20 per cent the English and 7.91 per cent the agricultural. By classes the tabulation is as follows:

Course of study	Commercial	Latin	English	Agricultural
Senior	30.25	27.9	32.55	9.3
Junior	45.	28.33	18.33	8.34
Sophomore	48.	40.	8.	4.
Freshman	29.04	38.71	22.58	9.67

We now have a regular room for our library, using the former history room. The number of volumes amounts to about 400, the largest number being books of reference. We have increased our subscription list of magazines and papers so that at present we have the following: Harper's, Atlantic Monthly, Saint Nicholas, Review of Reviews, National Geographic, Mentor, Outlook, Popular Science, Popular Me-

chanics, System, Gregg Writer, Youth's Companion, American Boy, New England Homestead, Country Gentleman, and Farm Mechanics.

The library furniture consisting of three heavy oak tables and twelve chairs, a gift of the class of 1922, is very much appreciated.

Part of the money we raise from our school fair is used directly for the library, the rest to make up the deficit in publishing The Laurel as the advertisements and sale of the paper do not pay for the cost of printing the two issues. The net amount received from the school fair last December was \$111.44.

The school is fairly well supplied with scientific apparatus at the present time but it would seem advisable for the town to purchase at least one expensive piece each year. Our newest addition is an air pump which was bought last fall.

The need of using the assembly hall for a general study room is becoming more and more apparent. Many of the classes are large and at present it is often necessary for many other pupils to be studying in the same room. This condition is a handicap to the teacher, the class, and the pupils that are studying. The teacher loses some of her efficiency when she has to conduct classes under these conditions. The pupils cannot concentrate on their work nor can those in the class be as receptive of instruction.

With proper desks put into the assembly room all study pupils could gather there for quiet work under the supervision of some teacher. It seems to be one way of solving the problem of the crowded condition in the school. In case of using the assembly hall for a general study room it would seem advisable to connect the second stories by a passageway which could be used by the pupils on the second floor of the annex and thus avoid overcrowding in the lower corridors.

In closing I wish to state that I believe the teachers are very conscientious, that they are putting everything they have into their school work, and are doing their best to keep up the standard of the school.

At this time I wish to thank the teachers for their co-operation and help and also the superintendent of schools and the school board for their advice and assistance.

Respectfully submitted,

R. Y. STORER.

#### ESTIMATES AS RECOMMENDED BY SCHOOL BOARD

Common schools	\$11,000 00
High school	9,500 00
Text books	1,200 00
Repairs and supplies	4,500 00
Industrial education	200 00
Physical training	300 00

## Vital Statistics

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*To the Selectmen of the Town of Farmington:*

GENTLEMEN:—The following returns of births, marriages and deaths have been made to this office for the year from February 7, 1922, to February 7, 1923.

Respectfully submitted,

N. R. KNOWLTON, *Town Clerk.*

### BIRTHS

Number of births	70
Number of males	38
Number of females	32

#### 1922

Jan. 30	To the wife of Arthur S. Taylor, a daughter, 4th child.
Feb. 3	To the wife of Howard R. Houston, a son, 3rd child.
Feb. 10	To the wife of Bernard C. Bradley, a daughter, 1st child.
Feb. 12	To the wife of Vinton Woodbury, a daughter, 1st child.
Feb. 13	To the wife of Harold D. Tibbetts, a son, 1st child.
Feb. 22	To the wife of Everett Metcalf, a daughter, 1st child.
Feb. 27	To the wife of Everett E. Childs, a daughter, 4th child.
Mar. 8	To the wife of Leon Clement, a son, 3rd child.
Mar. 9	To the wife of John S. Titcomb, a daughter, 5th child.
Mar. 20	To the wife of Alfred W. Hamel, a son, 1st child.
Mar. 25	To the wife of Lorin O. Durrell, a son, 5th child.
Mar. 28	To the wife of Oland J. Sawyer, a son, 1st child.
Mar. 29	To the wife of Frank L. Gilbert, a daughter, 3rd child.
Apr. 3	To the wife of M. L. Rackliff, a son, 5th child.
Apr. 4	To the wife of Albert D. Richards, a son, 1st child.
Apr. 8	To the wife of William H. Strum, a son, 2nd child.
Apr. 10	To the wife of Blain Guild, a daughter, 3rd child.
Apr. 17	To the wife of Elmer A. Hamilton, a daughter, 6th child.
Apr. 27	To the wife of Frank W. Osborne, a daughter, 7th child.

- May 7 To the wife of Donald Chick, a daughter, 1st child.
- May 9 To the wife of Norman H. Yeaton, a son, 8th child.
- May 11 To the wife of Howard W. Beal, a son, 1st child.
- May 14 To the wife of Roy L. Casey, a daughter, 1st child.
- May 15 To the wife of William C. Webster, a daughter, 1st child.
- May 17 To the wife of A. L. Brown, a son, 7th child.
- May 18 To the wife of F. E. Knox, a daughter, 1st child.
- May 18 To the wife of Gerald Wilkins, a daughter.
- May 24 To the wife of Swan E. Holmberg, a daughter, 3rd child.
- June 5 To the wife of Robert E. McCleery, a son, 1st child.
- June 5 To the wife of Forest P. Whittier, a son, 2nd child.
- June 8 To the wife of Herbert Lawrence Smith, a son, 2nd child.
- June 8 To the wife of Howard Fuller, a son, 4th child.
- June 21 To the wife of Earl C. Leeman, a son, 2nd child.
- June 23 To the wife of Arthur Decker, a son, 6th child.
- June 25 To the wife of Lewis Fish, a son, 1st child.
- June 26 To the wife of D. T. Williams, a son 6th child.
- June 29 To the wife of Frank E. Borden, a daughter, 6th child.
- June 29 To the wife of Lester W. Tolman, a daughter, 1st child.
- July 2 To the wife of Dana H. Barker, a son, 7th child.
- July 8 To the wife of Hadley Scott, a daughter, 3rd child.
- July 13 To the wife of F. C. Lovejoy, a son, 2nd child.
- July 21 To the wife of Harold Durrell, a daughter, 1st child.
- July 22 To the wife of Charles Bean, a son, 2nd child.
- Aug. 3 To the wife of Joseph Antonio Marcous, a daughter, 2nd child.
- Aug. 12 To the wife of Everett C. Whitney, a daughter, 1st child.
- Aug. 12 To the wife of Linscott A. Nickerson, a daughter, 2nd child.
- Aug. 13 To the wife of Howard Thurston, a son, 3rd child.
- Aug. 18 To the wife of Raymond W. Judkins, a son 2nd child.
- Aug. 18 To the wife of Leon Lake, a son, 2nd child.
- Aug. 19 To the wife of Wm. A. Titcomb, a son, 3rd child.
- Sept. 7 To the wife of Wesley Jackson, a son.
- Sept. 9 To the wife of Josef P. Kolreg, a son, 1st child.
- Oct. 26 To the wife of Hershall W. Paul, a daughter, 5th child.
- Oct. 27 To the wife of Romanus Webber, a daughter, 1st child.
- Oct. 31 To the wife of Jesse Ladd, a daughter, 5th child.
- Nov. 16 To the wife of Elmer Currier, a daughter, 3rd child.
- Nov. 25 To the wife of Frank W. Whitney, a daughter, 4th child.
- Dec. 2 To the wife of Olie M. Foss, a daughter, 3rd child.
- Dec. 2 To the wife of Chas. L. Viles, a son, 4th child.
- Dec. 8 To the wife of Dan. T. Adams, a daughter, 1st child.
- Dec. 10 To the wife of Norris B. Coulling, a son, 2nd child.
- Dec. 10 To the wife of E. E. Russell, a son, 1st child.
- Dec. 21 To the wife of Archie Norton, a daughter, 3rd child.
- Dec. 31 To the wife of Kenneth R. Cilley, a son, 1st child.

1923

- Jan. 1 To the wife of Roy Hamilton McComack, a son 2nd child.  
 Jan. 9 To the wife of Charles A. Welch, a son, 1st child.  
 Jan. 10 To the wife of G. M. Oakes, a daughter, 1st child.  
 Jan. 15 To the wife of Wallace O. Moody, a son, 6th child.  
 Jan. 18 To the wife of Roy F. Norton, a son, 3rd child.  
 Feb. 2 To the wife of Hiram I. Morrill, a son, 2nd child.

## MARRIAGES

<i>Number</i>	48
Groom, oldest at date of marriage	60
Bride, oldest at date of marriage	61
Groom, youngest at date of marriage	18
Bride, youngest at date of marriage	14

In Farmington, Feb. 20, 1922, by Herbert W. Collins, Esq., Daniel Collins Luce of Farmington and Windella Lillian Lawrence of Lewiston.

In Portsmouth, N. H., Mar. 23, 1922, by Elmer E. Clark, Esq., Donald A. Chick of Farmington and Dorothy A. Dearborn of Norridgewock.

In Farmington, Mar. 25, 1922, by Rev. David E. Adams, Ernest James Masterman and Elgie V. Brown, both of Wilton.

In Farmington, Apr. 18, 1922, by Rev. H. O. Megert, Wallace O. Moody of Farmington and Hattie A. Reynolds of New Sharon.

In Farmington, Apr. 30, 1922, by Herbert W. Collins, Esq., Leon Donald Lake and Lillian A. Paul, both of Farmington.

In Farmington, May 13, 1922, by Rev. J. P. Barrett, Garfield Magiduey Oakes and Arabell G. Holley, both of Farmington.

In Farmington, May 14, 1922, by Rev. Mabel C. Johnson, Stephen William Deane of Temple, and Florence L. Collins of Farmington.

In Farmington, May 27, 1922, by Rev. J. P. Barrett, Gerald Pipe: Jackson and Estelle A. Baker, both of Wilton.

In Farmington, May 31, 1922, by Rev. E. W. Robinson, Louis Spring Isbell and Helen May Paine, both of North Anson.

In Farmington, June 5, 1922, by Rev. H. O. Megert, Earle Chase French and Achsa Belle Hardy, both of Farmington.

In Farmington, June 5, 1922, by Rev. David E. Adams, Harry Luce Gage of New Sharon, and Jennie Bernice Gilbert of Farmington.

In Livermore Falls, June 10, 1922, by Rev. F. P. Freeman, Alfred L. Tardif of Farmington and Theo Sara Bailey of East Livermore.

In Farmington, June 10, 1922, by Rev. Charles I. Brown, Roland L. Moore of Chesterville and Isabell Grounder of Farmington.

In Farmington, June 11, 1922, by Rev. H. O. Megert, Frank Earle Knowlton and Mildred Lucille Hardy, both of Farmington.

In Farmington, June 12, 1922, by Rev. Mabel C. Johnson, William L. Warren and Rose E. Burbank, both of Farmington.

In Farmington, June 12, 1922, by Rev. Ralph Taylor Andem, Alton Marsden Stuart and Ivy Helen Laweryson, both of Bingham.

In Farmington, June 20, 1922, by Rev. Charles I. Brown, Armand J. Fortier and Marie A. Gagne, both of Farmington.

In Wilton, June 24, 1922, by Rev. Joseph C. MacDonald, George Vinton Blanchard of Wilton, and Hortense Josephine Pease of Farmington.

In Farmington, June 28, 1922, by Rev. David E. Adams, Harold Augustus Carman and Edith Lillian Morton, both of Farmington.

In Turner, June 29, by Rev. F. P. Freeman, Harry Arthur Ellsworth of Farmington and Vina A. Additon of Leeds.

In Farmington, July 22, 1922, by Rev. David E. Adams, Fabyan Philip Turner of Farmington and Gertrude Sumner Carleton of Plymouth, Mass.

In Farmington, Aug. 9, 1922, by George D. Clark, Esq., Frank Tuami and Hilda Wirtanen, both of Temple.

In Farmington, Aug. 23, 1922, by Frank E. Knowlton, Esq., Oliver Joseph Roberts and Hazel Catherine Hiscock, both of Farmington.

In Flagstaff, Aug. 23, 1922, by Rev. J. T. Berry, John Staples Tibbetts of Farmington and Dorris Etta Viles of Flagstaff.

In South Portland, Sept. 7, 1922, by Rev. John Dunstan, Clyde M. Brackley and Sarah E. Stanley, both of Farmington.

In Farmington, Sept. 9, 1922, by Currier C. Holman Esq., Leon E. Hall and Emma Genie Welch, both of Farmington.

In Farmington, Sept. 19, 1922, by Sumner P. Mills, Esq., John Edward Langille and Agnes E. Hennessey, both of Cambridge, Mass.

In Farmington, Sept. 19, 1922, by Rev. J. P. Barrett, Harold L. Kelley and Pearle L. Whittier, both of Vienna.

In Farmington, Sept. 23, 1922, by Rev. Edwin S. Longley, Merle Victor Watson and Beryle Adgessa Owens, both of Farmington.

In Farmington, Sept. 24, 1922, by Rev. Ralph Taylor Andem, Edgar E. Tuttle of Freeman and Vivian E. Hood of Phillips.

In Madison, Sept. 29, 1922, by J. Frank Withee Esq., Guy Augustus Phillips and Hazel Marion Burnell, both of Farmington.

In Waterville, Oct. 7, 1922, by Rev. E. A. Pollard Jones, John Deroch and Ruth Ella Collins, both of Farmington.

In Farmington, Oct. 14, 1922, by Rev. Ralph Taylor Andem, Judson Homer Stevens and Bessie Mable Schafer, both of New Sharon.

In Farmington, Oct. 22, 1922, by Rev. Charles I. Brown, George French Hodgkins and Rose Elizabeth Keaty, both of Farmington.

In Allens Mills, Nov. 1, 1922, by Rev. George A. Tinkham, Edgar Perley Churchill of Farmington and Doris R. Spinney of Allens Mills.

In Livermore Falls, Oct. 25, 1922, by Rev. F. P. Freeman, Walter H. Bryant of Jay, and Mrs. Elizabeth May Brooks of Farmington.

In Farmington, Nov. 4, 1922, by Currier C. Holman Esq., Carl H. Gordon of Chesterville and Ruth Webber of Vienna.

In Farmington, Nov. 7, 1922, by Rev. Ralph Taylor Andem, Raymond Elmer Stevens and Marion Ella Smith, both of Strong.

In Farmington, Nov. 16, 1922, by Rev. Ralph Taylor Andem, Herbert Albion Wyman and Jane Severance Head, both of New Sharon.

In Bar Harbor, Nov. 24, 1922, by Rev. James D. O'Brien, John Cornelius Greene of Bangor and Una Mae Walker of Farmington.

In Wilton, Nov. 26, 1922, by Rev. John Frank Jenner, Loma Whit-cher of Whitefield, N. H., and Inez Robbins of Farmington.

In Farmington, Dec. 22, 1922, by Sumner P. Mills, Esq., Charles Lester Whitman and Isabel Emily Amey, both of Farmington.

In Farmington, Dec. 24, 1922, by Rev. Ralph Taylor Andem, Theodore R. Tracy and Bernice E. Sawtelle, both of Industry.

In Farmington, Dec. 25, 1922, by Rev. Ralph Taylor Andem, H. Merle Foss and Mrs. Lydia Shaw Black, both of Farmington.

In Lewiston, Dec. 26, 1922, by H. M. Dussault, Esq., Henri Guay of Lewiston and Elsie M. Brown of Farmington.

In Farmington, Jan. 15, 1923, by Herbert W. Collins Esq., Frank V. Hiltz and Leorraine E. Bubier, both of Wilton.

In Portland, Feb. 1, 1923, by Rev. David E. Adams, George Henry Mosher and Alice D. Brown both of Farmington.

In Farmington, Feb. 1, 1923, by Rev. J. P. Barrett, Walter W. Brown of New Haven, Conn., and Lillian Estell Durrell of Farmington.

## DEATHS

Number of deaths	94
Males	48
Females	46

Oldest person at date of death, 91 years, 9 months, 3 days.

In Temple, Jan. 14, 1922, Margaret Mitchell, age 86 years, 2 months, 4 days.

In Farmington, Feb. 9, 1922, Florence Pearl Hall, age 43 years, 9 months, 4 days.

In Industry, Feb. 9, 1922, Asa Byron Jennings, age 70 years, 2 months, 24 days.

In Farmington, Feb. 9, 1922, Ellen B. Thompson, age 72 years, 3 months, 14 days.

In Farmington, Feb. 11, 1922, Anna M. Butterfield, age 88 years, 11 months, 19 days.

In Farmington, Feb. 11, 1922, Mrs. Sarah Viles, age 91 years, 9 months, 3 days.

In Farmington, Feb. 13, 1922, Eli S. Oliver, age 66 years, 4 months, 23 days.

In Farmington, Feb. 16, 1922, Eliza A. Pinkham, age 88 years, 7 months, 13 days.

In Farmington, Feb. 19, 1922, Jane T. Green, age 87 years, 3 months, 29 days.

In Farmington, Feb. 22, 1922, Sarah Ann Davis, age 80 years, 3 months, 16 days.

In Farmington, Feb. 22, 1922, John S. Gay, age 78 years, 10 months.

In Augusta, Feb. 23, 1922, Raymond Ellis, age 16 years 11 months, 3 days.

In Farmington, Feb. 27, 1922, Pelagie Trepanier Gagne, age 72 years, 8 months, 4 days.

In Farmington, March 9, 1922, Melvina Mace Rogers, age 86 years, 5 months, 25 days.

In Farmington, Mar. 10, 1922, Frank C. Morrison, age 71 years, 5 months, 7 days.

In Farmington, Mar. 17, 1922, Catherine M. Wright, age 38 years.

In Farmington, Mar. 27, 1922, Carrol C. Noyes, age 31 years, 11 months, 15 days.

In Farmington, Mar. 31, 1922, N. Marie Kilgore, age 70 years.

In Augusta, Apr. 2, 1922, Albertus D. Norton, age 67 years 5 months, 13 days.

In Farmington, April 4, 1922, infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Albert D. Richards.

In Farmington, April 16, 1922, Alice M. Wright, age 52 years, 3 months, 22 days.

In Farmington, Apr. 17, 1922, Margaret A. Davis, age 89 years, 6 months, 21 days.

In Farmington, April 19, 1922, Jeremey Porter Holley, age 87 years, 1 month, 16 days.

In Farmington, Apr. 29, 1922, Josie B. Paine, age 65 years, 3 months, 17 days.

In Farmington, May 4, 1922, George H. Day, age 72 years, 8 months, 20 days.

In Lewiston, May 5, 1922, Wm. P. Cushman, age 64 years, 2 months, 20 days.

In Farmington, May 7, 1922, Charlotte N. Marden, age 30 years, 3 months, 22 days.

In Farmington, May 8, 1922, Jennie M. Stephenson, age 73 years, 10 months, 8 days.

In Farmington, May 8, 1922, Bertha C. Shrumpf, age 33 years, 23 days.



In Farmington, May 11, 1922, infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Howard W. Beal.

In Farmington, May 14, 1922, Elic P. Crosby, age 61 years, 3 months, 8 days.

In Farmington, May 18, 1922, infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Wilkins.

In Farmington, May 18, 1922, Fannie Macomber, age 75 years.

In Farmington, May 20, 1922, Ephraim Bernard Vining, age 78 years, 7 months, 13 days.

In Farmington, May 21, 1922, Velma H. Bunker, age 25 years, 8 months, 11 days.

In Farmington, June 3, 1922, Mary Stevenson Sweet, age 66 years, 8 months, 1 day.

In Gardiner, June 5, 1922, Minnie A. Howe, age 64 years, 2 months, 7 days.

In Farmington, June 8, 1922, infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Howard M. Fuller.

In Farmington, June 7, 1922, Ada M. Johnson, age 45 years, 7 months, 8 days.

In Farmington, June 7, 1922, Rufus Jennings, age 66 years, 7 months, 8 days.

In Farmington, June 8, 1922, infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Forrest P. Whittier, age 3 days.

In Farmington, June 9, 1922, Joseph W. Matthieu, age 72 years, 1 month, 2 days.

In Providence, R. I., June 29, 1922, Mary Jane Ranger, age 71 years, 6 months, 4 days.

In Farmington, June 30, 1922, Nellie Crowell Voter, age 49 years, 2 months, 6 days.

In Farmington, July 1, 1922, Melville A. Hood, age 68 years, 6 months, 26 days.

In Farmington, July 4, 1922, Samuel Gilman Woodcock, age 76 years, 3 months, 18 days.

In Farmington, July 9, 1922, Z. Morton Vaughan, age 73 years, 1 month, 4 days.

In Farmington, July 10, 1922, Betsieann Hackett, age 73 years, 7 months.

In Lewiston, July 20, 1922, Nellie M. Knowlton, age 48 years.

In Farmington, Aug. 3, 1922, Hannibal H. Babb, age 66 years, 1 month, 27 days.

In Farmington, Aug. 4, 1922, Flora Angeline Tufts Brooks, age 72 years, 2 months, 14 days.

In Rumford, Aug. 6, 1922, Clark T. Wagner, age 30 years, 3 months, 5 days.

In Allens Mills, Aug. 8, 1922, Emma Lucy Bishop, age 62 years.

In Farmington, Aug. 14, 1922, George H. Knowlton, age 78 years, 10 months 18 days.

In Farmington, Aug. 15, 1922, Mrs. Mae H. Lane, age 55 years, 6 months, 13 days.

In Farmington, Aug. 16, 1922, Frederick Healey Hinkley, age 6 months, 27 days.

In Boston, Mass., Aug. 17, 1922, Catherine McDonald, age 62 years, 3 months, 17 days.

In Wilton, Aug. 25, 1922, Catherine Nixon Stowell Rounds, age 85 years, 8 months, 12 days.

In Farmington, Sept. 7, 1922, Frank L. Koch, age 46 years, 20 days.

In Farmington, Sept. 7, 1922, infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Jackson.

In Farmington, Sept. 12, 1922, Gustavus Ellis, age 70 years, 2 months, 18 days.

In Rumford, Sept. 26, 1922, Augustus Lee Berry, age 54 years, 4 months, 13 days.

In Farmington, Sept. 27, 1922, James S. Hewey, age 66 years, 10 months.

In Farmington, Sept. 29, 1922, Lydia A. Norton, age 89 years, 12 days.

In Farmington, Oct. 3, 1922, Fred L. Thayer, age 58 years, 4 months, 25 days.

In Farmington, Oct. 3, 1922, Elmer E. Richards, age 62 years, 1 month, 9 days.

In Farmington, Oct. 10, 1922, Mittie Frances Holman, age 72 years, 8 months, 15 days.

In Somerville, Mass., Oct. 11, 1922, Juno Hutchins Curtis, age 51 years, 3 months, 19 days.

In Farmington, Oct. 17, 1922, Walter Roy Yeaton, age 5 months, 8 days.

In Canton, Oct. 25, 1922, Rufus M. Dunsmore, age 81 years, 4 months, 20 days.

In Lewiston, Oct. 25, 1922, John Franklin Goodwin, age 69 years.

In Farmington, Oct. 30, 1922, Clara Voter Wellman, age 74 years, 4 months, 13 days.

In Farmington, Nov. 1, 1922, Mary L. Thorpe, age 73 years, 3 months, 5 days.

In Farmington, Nov. 5, 1922, Edward P. Davis, age 88 years, 10 months.

In Farmington, Nov. 6, 1922, Benjamin R. McKenney, age 80 years, 1 month, 2 days.

In Lewiston, Nov. 24, 1922, Mrs. Emma S. Cummings, age 78 years, 1 month, 16 days.

In Farmington, Nov. 27, 1922, Wilfred McLeary, age 56 years, 5 months, 21 days.

In Lewiston, Nov. 29, 1922, Philippe Ratte, age 76 years.

In Farmington, Dec. 2, 1922, Amanda M. Voter, age 80 years, 10 months, 14 days.

In Farmington, Dec. 3, 1922, Lafayette Plaisted, age 76 years, 5 months, 22 days.

In Farmington, Dec. 3, 1922, Gladys Elaine Hamlin, age 5 years, 6 months, 11 days.

In Los Angeles, Cal., Dec. 19, 1922, William Francis.

In Smith Nyack, N. Y., Dec. 21, 1922, Abner T. Hinckley, age 45 years, 1 month, 28 days.

In Bath, Dec. 23, 1922, Silvie Veilleux, age 79 years, 7 months, 29 days.

In Portland, Jan. 2, 1923, Emma Holley Greenleaf, age 72 years.

In Manhat, N. Y., Jan. 4, 1923, Myra Abby Fenderson, age 94 years.

In Farmington, Jan. 5, 1923, Albert B. Dolbier age 77 years, 6 months, 28 days.

In Farmington, Jan. 9, 1923, infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Welch.

In Farmington, Jan. 12, 1923, Edward Copeland Merrill, age 69 years, 7 months, 5 days.

In Farmington, Jan. 17, 1923, Betsey E. Allen, age 91 years, 3 months, 22 days.

In Farmington, Jan. 24, 1923, Schuyler C. House, age 21 years, 10 months, 18 days.

In Farmington, Jan. 25, 1923, Mary A. Church Jacobs, age 78 years, 2 months, 20 days.

In Farmington, Jan. 29, 1923, Ella F. Brown, age 57 years, 4 months, 6 days.

In Farmington, Feb. 3 1923, Stillman S. Savage, age 72 years, 3 months, 16 days.